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SUBJECT: ARIAS HOMECOMING

REF: STATE 117482

1. ANNOUNCEMENTS WERE MADE ON MAY 9 AND 10, IN THE PRESS AND ON RADIO, OF ARNULFO ARIAS' REPGNN TO PANAMA ON JUNE 10. NO ANNOUNCEMENT HAS YET BEEN MADE ABOUT THE SPECIFICS OF HIS ARRIVAL OR ANY WELCOMING RALLIES. IT IS GENERALLY BELIEVED HERE, HOWEVER, THAT THE MAN WILL DRAW HUGE CROWDS.

2. GIVEN ARIAS' REPORTEDLY VOLATILE NATURE, BOTH HIS ARRIVAL DATE AND LENGTH OF STAY -- WHETHER A FEW "DAYS", AS INDICATED REFTEL, OR PERMANENT, AS INDCIATED BY A PANAMENISTA PATTY SOURCE HERE -- SHOULD PROBABLY BE CONSIDERED SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

3. PHILIP HARMAN'S CONTENTION, PARA 2 OF REFTEL, THAT ARAIS' RETURN IS NOT INTENDED TO INTERFERE WITH PRESIDENT
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CARTER'S VISIT, SHOULD BE VIEWED IN LIGHT OF THE FACT THAT THE PANAMENISTA PARTYHAS PUBLICIZED ITS OPPOSITION TO THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT, ON THE GROUNDS THAT IT WILL CONSTITUTE "INTERVENTION" IN PANAMA'S INTERNAL AFFAIRS (REPORTED PANAMA 3098). JORDEN

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